



PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Larsen et al.
Serial No.: 10/780,278
Conf. No.: 7067
Filed: February 17, 2004
For: LIGHT SCATTERING DETECTOR
Art Unit: 2877
Examiner: Nguyen, Sang H.

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May 16, 2006
Date

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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified application.

<u>Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended</u>						
	As Amended		Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Additional Fee
Total Claims	36	-	38	=	x \$ 50	= \$0
Independent Claims	4	-	3	=	x \$200	= \$200.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims					\$360	= \$
					Total Additional Fee	\$
					Small Entity Fee (reduced by half)	\$100.00

(X) Amendment A.

(X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT A

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 23, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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